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Howard Street Pansy Gardens 27 1951

Kalamazoo 99, Mich.

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Dear Customer:

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Another Spring is here and another hard Winter has rolled by again, and lots of plants are winter killed in many sections of the country. We are glad to say that all our fields were mulched in time last Fall when Winter set in, so we saved 90% of our stock.

Many varieties, as always, will be on the scarce side, so we do advise to place orders early, as we will start shipping as soon as your orders reach us, and as Spring shipping season is very short and over TWO MILLION plants to be shipped out, we like to get all orders in as quickly as possible, as labor is scarce with so many called into the Service.

No charge for packing and boxes. Terms, cash or C. O. D.

Yours for more business.

PLANT LIST

HARDY PERENNIALS

Wonderful plants which we could not dig last Fall on account of snow and early hard winter. Those should be wonderful plants for any florist.

Quantities	P	er 100	Per 1,000	
30,000	Aquilegia Longissima,			
,	yellow long spurs	\$3.00	\$25.00	
30,000	Aquilegia Chrysantha, light yellow	2.50	20.00	
56,000	Aquilegia Scott Elliott, mixed	2.50	20.00	
35,000	Aquilegia Rose Queen, best pink_	2.50	20.00	
10,000	Aquilegia Silver Queen		20.00	
25,000	Aquilegia Vulgaris, mixed		15.00	
3,000	Aquilegia Iowa Giants, mixed		25.00	
4,000	Aquilegia Crimson Star, best			
	red with colar	4.00	30.00	
15,000	Alyssum Saxatile (Basket			
	of Gold)	3.00	22.50	
17,000	Asclepias Tuberosa, orange	2.50	20.00	
11,000	C. Bells (Cup and Saucer white)	3.00	25.00	
10,000	C Bells (Cup and Saucer pink)	3.00	25.00	
4,000	C Bells (Cup and Saucer rose)	3.00	25.00	
1,000	Carnation King of the Blacks	3.00	25.00	
7,000	Carnation Golden Sun, yellow	3.00	25.00	
25,000	Carnation Rose Queen	3.00	25.00	
45,000	Carnation Montblanc, white	2.50	20.00	
42,000	Carnation, special mixed	2.50	20.00	
87,000	Carnation, scarlet	2.50	20.00	
20,000	Cheiranthus Allionii (wallflower)	2.00	15.00	
14,000	Delphinium Bellamosum, dark blue	2.50	20.00	
33,000	Delphinium Cliv Beauty, light blue	2.50	20.00	
6,000	Delphinium Pacific Vetterle and			
-,	Reinelt mixed	6.00	50.00	

Quantities		er 100	Per 1,000
10,000	Delphinium Pacific Sir Galahad,	5.00	40.00
05.000	double white	5.00	40.00
25,000	Delphinium Pacific Round Table	F 00	40.00
40.000	Series, mixed	5.00	40.00
49,000	Delphinium Pacific Large,	4.50	38.00
200,000	double pure white	4.50	30.00
200,000	Delphinium Pacific Hybrids, special mixed	2 50	30.00
3,000	Dianthus Cyclops		20.00
2,500	Foxgloves, pink shades		25.00
25,000	Foxgloves, Shirley Hybrids, mixed		25.00
6,000	Gaillardia, Burgundy wine red		20.00
29,000 1,000	Gaillardia, Goblin dwarf		20.00
15,000	Hibiscus, mixedHollyhocks, Chaters double mixed	3.50	30.00 25.00
161,000	Iberis Sempervirens (white	3.00	25.00
101,000		2.50	20.00
5,000	candytuft)Oriental Poppy, scarlet	4.00	32.00
4,000	Pyrethrum Startler, NEW	3.00	25.00
33,000	Pyrethrum J Kelway, vermillion red		20.00
25,000	Pyrethrum Roseum, single pink		20.00
60,000	Pyrethrum Atrosanguineum,	2.50	20.00
80,000	bloodred	3.00	24.00
42 000	Pyrethrum, double mixed		24.00
63,000 10,000	Platycodons, blue (Balloonflower)		
9,000			20.00
14,000	Scabiosa, Isaachouse Hyb. Statice Latifolia (sealavender)		25.00
6,000		2.50	20.00
6,000	Shasta Daisy, White Lady, large flowers	2.00	17.00
9,000			17.00
9,000	Shasta Daisy, Dieners, double white	2 00	25.00
22,000	Shasta Daisy, Alaska florist	3.00	25.00
32,000	favorite white	2.00	14.00
35,000	Shasta Daisy, May Queen,	2.00	16.00
35,000	earliest to bloom	2.50	10.00
2.500	Stokesia Blue (Aster)		19.00
2,500 1,000	Thermopsis Lanceolata		25.00
			25.00
15,000	Tritoma Uvaria	4.45	20.00

PANSY PLANTS

On account of early winter last year we were unable to get all plants dug, so here is list what was left in the field.

Quantities	Pe	r 100	Per 1,000
8,000	Peter Pan, choice mixed	0.75	\$5.50
1,500	Steeles Jumbo mixed		8.00
7,000	Oregon Giants, super mixed	.75	6.00
27,000	America, choice, very dwarf mixed	.75	6.00
26,000	Mammoth mixed	.75	6.00
60,000	Canadian Giants, mixed	.75	6.00
80,000	Maple Leaf Giants, mixed	.75	6.00
93,000	Swiss Giants, super mixed	.75	6.00
5,000	Swiss Giants, ORANGE NOVELTY	1.00	8.00
6,000	Swiss Giants, Berna large		
	velvet purple	.75	6.00
1,500	Swiss Giants, Coronation Gold,		
	pure yellow	.75	6.00
43,000	Swiss Giants, Yellow Master,		
	golden yellow	.75	6.00
20,000	Swiss Giants, White Lady,		
	pure white	1.00	8.00
29,000	Swiss Giants, Thunersee, skyblue	1.00	7.00
25,000	Swiss Giants, Cardinal, red shades	1.00	7.00
7,000	Swiss Giants, Alpenglow,		
	red shades	1.00	7.00

HARDY VIOLAS

Those are used in very great numbers for borders, beds and in cemetery plantings.

Blooms nearly all summer until frost.

Quantities	Per 100	Per 1,000
8,000	Perfection, pure white\$1.00	\$6.00
26,000	Perfection, blue 1.00	6.00
5,000	Scotch Hybrids, mixed 1.00	6.00
26,000	Arkwright Ruby, mahogany	
	red, wonderful 1.25	8.00
33,000	Chantreyland, finest Apricot color 1.25	8.00

FORGET ME NOTS

Quantities			Per 100	Per 1,000
5,000	DWARF DARK	BLUE	\$0.75	\$6.00

SWEET WILLIAMS

Those are excellent plants and fine for cutflowers; all will bloom within a few months after planting.

Quantities 17,000	_		Per 1,000 \$6.00
21,000	Dunnetti, dark red		6.00
25,000	Pink Beauty, well known variety_	1.00	6.00
30,000	Newport Pink, one of the best		6.00
31,000	Tall Exhibition, mixed	.75	5.00
60,000	Dwarf, double mixed for borders	.75	5.00

SWEET WILLIAM

Large field grown clumps will be in full bloom about May 20. Packed 100 large field grown plants in a box. Per box of 100 plants, only as dug in field, per box \$5.00.

Giant Pansies BUD AND BLOOM

80,000 choice fancy dwarf mixed pansy plants, field grown clumps in bud and bloom. Per 100, \$3.50; per 1,000, \$30.00. Advise to get those before they are in full bloom so they will not get too tall in field.

Hardy Field Grown Tall Phloxes

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
500	Bright Eyes, orchid, pink,		
	red florists	\$2.00	\$12.50
450	Border Queen, watermelon pink	2.00	12.50
100	Chieftain, dark crimson	2.25	13.00
150	Count Zeppelin, white vermillion		
	red eye	2.00	12.50
1,000	Hauptman Koehl, large deep red_	2.25	13.00
500	July Lights, light crimson	2.00	12.50
650	Lillian, soft pink	2.00	12.50
150	Mount Hood, pure white		14.00
450	Pink Charm, clear pink,		
	scarlet sheen	2.00	12.50
200	Ruby Lee, plum purple, very		
	large flowers	2.00	12.50

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BULB LIST

Michigan Sandgrown Gladiolus

We list only the best cutflower and garden varieties.

Quantities	FIRST SIZE Per 100	Per 1,000
2,000	Beacon, dark rose, cream blotch\$2.50	\$20.00
2,000	Commander Koehl, large blood red 3.00	25.00
3,000	Edith Cave Cole, pure light pink_ 2.50	20.00
1,000	Elizabeth The Queen, ruffled lavender	25.00
1,000	Lulu Hunt, fine geranium pink 2.25	19.00
2,000	Miss Bloomington, fine yellow 2.25	19.00
2,000	Margaret Fulton, tall pink 2.00	17.00
3,000	Maid of Orleans, large florist white 2.50	20.00
2,000	Morning Kiss, new white from Europe 3.50	25.00
3,000	Snowprincess, pure white 2.50	18.00
3,000	Salmon Joy, excellent salmon 3.00	22.00
1,000	Minuet, fine lavender 3.50	26.00
8,000	Exhibition mixed 2.25	17.00

Special Mixture Gladiolus No. 2, Per 100, \$2.00; Per 1,000, \$15.00

BELGIUM DOUBLE CAMELLIA FLOWERED BEGONIAS

Easy to grow in pots or outdoors. Like rich soil, plenty of moisture and shade.

Your choice of the following colors: Rose, White, Copper, Red, Yellow, Salmon, Orange, Scarlet.

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
25,000	Extra fancy large Bulbs, 2 to 4 inch circ.	\$1.75	\$13.00
15,000	Extra fancy, No. 1 Bulbs, 1½ to 2 inch circ.	1.50	10.00

CALLA LILIES

Quantities		Each	Per Doz.
100	Rahmani, beautiful pink Calla, top size	\$0.35	\$3.50
300	Elliottiana, golden yellow,		
	top size	45	4.50

LILY BULBS

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
	Regale, white pink throat, 7-8 cir.	\$1.50	\$10.00
	8-9 circ	2.00	12.50
	9-10 circ., jumbo	2.50	18.00
	Auratum, the famous goldbanded		
	Lily from Japan, 7-9 inch circ.	3.50	28.00
	8-10 inch circ		35.00
	Speciosum Rubrum, the red		
	spotted Lily, 7-9 inch circ.	2.50	28.00
¥	8-10 inch circ	4.00	31.00

CHOICE CANNA ROOTS

No garden complete without some of those beautiful flowers. Those are all the leading and best varieties.

	leading and best varietie	es.	
Quantities	Pe Florence Vaughn, yellow with red spots on center part of petals,	r 100	Per 1,000
	foliage light green, 3 to 3½ ft\$	5.00	\$45.00
	City of Portland, fine pink, green foliage, 3½ ft.	4.50	40.00
	President, rich red, green foliage, 2½ to 3½ ft.	4.50	40.00
	Richard Wallace, fine yellow, green foliage, 3 to 4 ft.	5.00	42.00
	Yellow King Humbert, yellow blotched with red, light green foliage	4.50	40.00
	Louisiana, dark red flowers, beautiful green foliage, 4 to 4½ ft	5.00	44.00
	Firebird, beautiful dark red, green foliage, 3 to 4 ft.	5.50	45.00
	Wyoming, magnificent orange, purple foliage, 3 to 3½ ft	5.50	46.00
	Hungaria, wonderful pink canna, bluish green foliage, 3½ to 4 ft.	5.00	41.00
	Shenandoah, beautiful salmon pink bronze foliage, 2½ to 3½ ft.	6.00	50.00
	Red King Humbert, large red, bronze foliage, 3½ to 4 ft	4.50	40.00
	King Midas, yellow dotted red, heavy dark green foliage, 3 to 3½ ft.	5.00	46.00
	Madam Crozy, double red with yellow edges, green foliage, 2½ to 3 ft.	5.00	45.00
	Red Dazzler, beautiful red foliage, dark green with purple cast, 4 to 4½ ft.		46.00

FANCY LEAF CALADIUMS

Quantities			Per Doz.	Per 100
1,000	Special mixed,	1-11/2	\$1.25	\$9.00

AMARYLLIS HYBRIDS MIXED

Wonderful for potplant or outdoor growing.

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
1,000	Choice mixed Hybrids,		
	large bulbs only	\$2.25	\$16.00

PEONY ROOTS

Very scarce this Spring.

Quantities	Per Doz.	Per 100
500	Pink, 2/5 eyes\$3.00	\$24.00
500	Pink, 2/3 eyes 2.00	14.00
	White, 2/3 eyes 2.00	14.00

MEXICAN SINGLE EVERBLOOMING TUBEROSES

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
2,000	First size	\$0.75	\$4.50

DOUBLE TUBEROSES THE PEARL

Quantities		Per Doz.	Per 100
1,000	First and top size	\$1.00	\$5.00

ELEPHANTS EARS

Quantities				Per Doz.	Per 100
400	Size	7/9	circumference	\$2.25	\$16.00

Holland Imported Ranuncules

Quantities			Per 100	Per 1,000
4,000	First size,	mixed	colors \$2.50	

MICHIGAN SANDGROWN DAHLIA TUBERS

Quantities			Per Doz.	Per 100
500	A. D. Livoni, pink			\$ 8.00
100	Avalon, light yellow	_D	1.50	10.00
150	Amber Queen, apricot			
	and amber	P	2.00	14.00
250	Bonnie Blue, bluish	B	1.25	8.00
400	Big Gus, orange-scarlet	_D	1.25	8.00
200	Blue Moon, pale purple	_D	1.50	11.00
100	Coral, extra pink		1.50	11.00
100	Dr. Tevis, salmon pink	_D	1.50	10.00
100	Darlene, shell pink	_D	1.50	10.00
200	Gallant Fox, red		1.50	10.00
150	Elionor va.d.Veer,			
	glowing pink	_D	1.50	11.00
200	Ganelli, enormous large red	_D	2.00	12.50
150	Carissimo, wonderful scarlet	D	2.00	12.00
300	Jean Kerr, florist white		1.25	8.50
700	Jersey Beacon, enormous			1119
	Chinese red	D	1.50	10.00
200	Jane Cowl, large bronze buff.	D	2.00	14.00
200	Jack Rose, fine old rose		1.25	8.00
500	Kemps White Wonder,		.,	
	best white	D	2.25	15.00
600	Mrs. Geo. Le Bouttelier,			
	large red	D	1.50	11.00
600	Mrs. Marg W. Wilson,			
	white and pink	D	1.50	11.00
600	Mrs. Ball, purple red		1.00	7.50
400	Maude Adams, white			7.00
	Maude Adams, white flushed pink	В	1.25	9.00
1,000	Mrs. I. Ver Warner, large			7.00
	orchid lavender	D	1.50	11.00
100	Oyster Bay Beauty, blood red		1.50	
700	Porthos, large extra red	D	1.25	8.00
300	Pride of Austenburg,		1.20	0.00
	large scarlet	D	1.50	10.00
600	Rose Glory, enormous pink	D	2.00	14.00
500	Red Chief, bright red	R	1.25	9.00
400	Red Chief, bright red Stormking, favorite white	D	1.25	9.00
200	Sanhicans Bluebird,		1.25	7.00
	larae bluish	D	1.75	12.00
250	Vivian, white tipped purple	B	1.25	
1,000	Yellow Colosse, yellow	D	1.50	8.00
500	Yellow Glory, enormous		1.50	10.00
		D	2.00	1400
200	Yellow Gem, golden yellow		2.00	14.00
200	Yellow Duke, fine yellow	R	1.25	9.00
2,000	SPECIAL MIXED, all colors)B	.75	
_,	Abbreviations: D for Decor	~+:-	./3	5.00
	P for Pompom; B for Ball typ	uii)	<i>(e)</i>	

Holland Imported Anemone

Quantities	Per 100 Per 1,000	
1,000	Anemone, The Bride, pure white, jumbo size\$3.50	
1,000	Anemone, Mr. Fokker, blue 3.50	
1,500	Anemone, Hollandia, scarlet 3.50	